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Re: Application of: Donald KYLE, et al.
 Serial No.: 09/730,814
 Filed: December 6, 2000
 For: **TERTIARY AMINO COMPOUNDS HAVING
 OPIOID RECEPTOR AFFINITY**

AMENDMENT

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November 24, 2003

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Reconsideration of the present application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed August 22, 2003, please amend the above-referenced application as provided in the section below entitled "AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS."